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For: MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THIN COMPONENT, BEARING RING, THRUST NEEDLE ROLLER BEARING, MANUFACTURING METHOD OF ROLLING BEARING RING, ROLLING BEARING RING, AND ROLLING BEARING

AMENDMENT WITH UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the final Office Action dated February 16, 2010.

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